

Introduction of the 2005 base Corporate Goods Price Index (CGPI)

The CGPI focuses on the prices of goods bought and sold by companies. The Bank of Japan (BOJ) compiles three Basic grouping indexes: Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index (DCGPI), Export Price Index (EPI) and Import Price Index (IPI). Each Index is calculated to aggregate affiliated sample prices using the weighted-average method. The sample prices are fixed in a basket of the base year, which reflects Japan's industry and trade structure. Each index captures the change of costs and prices that all industries in Japan face under its input- and output-structure of the base year.

The industry and trade structure, however, changes continuously, reflecting activities of the corporate sector and the economic situation domestically as well as internationally, along with the appearance and disappearance of goods in the market.

If the base year is fixed for a long time, indexes cannot reflect the actual economic situation. Therefore, the BOJ revises the base year periodically ("base revision") and reviews the *commodities** selected in the basket and the weights assigned respectively. The revision is conducted every five years with last digits of 0 or 5 in the same way as other economic indexes compiled by government agencies.

* *Commodities* are aggregates of some surveyed prices of identical goods, and represent the smallest unit for which indexes of the CGPI are compiled and released.

As five years have passed since the previous base revision, the BOJ introduces the 2005 base CGPI and releases the figures of the new base index today. See also "[Outline of the 2005 Base Corporate Goods Price Index \(CGPI\)](#)."

1. Aim of base revision

The aim of the 2005 base revision is to mainly change the basket of *commodities*, weights, as well as the classification. Thus the other modifications are relatively marginal compared with the previous base revision from 1995 to 2000.

2. Major points in revision

Details of the 2005 base revision are as follows:

(1) Incorporating the structural changes in Japan's industry and trade

i. Changing the basket of *commodities* and the classification taking account of the following changes in the economy: (a) progress in IT-related products and digitalization; (b) changes in people's lifestyles; (c) expanding presence of the automobile industry in Japan and abroad; (d) ongoing high economic growth in China and the upsurge in international commodity prices; and (e) further progress of the global supply chain network. In addition, (f) selecting some new *commodities* which were difficult to follow due to the adoption of "unit value method," on this opportunity.

ii. Setting *commodities* with a broader definition to provide for frequent replacement of sample prices of IT-related products, reflecting the rapid evolution of such products, and to allow continuous research.

iii. Reflecting the deregulation of the electric power industry to some sample prices.

(2) Maintaining and enhancing statistical accuracy

i. Applying the hedonic regression method to "Copying machines."

ii. Continuing to use "unit value method"; while some *commodities* adopting "unit value method," which do not explain price trend well enough, have been abolished ("Aircraft" and *commodities* in the Sub Group "Fresh foods," both included in the IPI).

(3) Reducing the reporting burden on companies and enhancing services for users

i. Using other published statistics and databases to reduce the reporting burden on companies.

ii. Providing the time series data of past base periods as well as a complete listing of revised/abolished *commodities* at the time of each revision since the 1890 base.

iii. Changing the current "Price Indexes Monthly" (monthly bulletin) to "Price Indexes Quarterly" (quarterly bulletin), with more contents added.

vi. Adding further information (such as the contribution rate) to the monthly news releases.

3. Comparison of the 2005 base index and the 2000 base index

The trends of the 2005 base index and the 2000 base index are shown in appendix 13. In this chart, the 2000 base index is converted to CY2005=100. This shows that the 2005 base index is below the 2000 base index from 2005 up until the present, mainly due to the characteristic of the fix-weighted Laspeyres formula adopted in the CGPI.

4. Schedule

The monthly news release of the CGPI will switch to the 2005 base on December 12, in line with the final figures of October 2007 and preliminary figures of November 2007.

Appendix 1: Structure of the 2005 Base Corporate Goods Price Index

<2000 Base>

<2005 Base>

I. Basic grouping index	
1. Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index	All commodities, Major groups, Groups, Subgroups, Commodity classes and Commodities
2. Export Price Index	
	All commodities, Groups, Subgroups, Commodity classes and Commodities (Yen basis)
	All commodities, Groups, Subgroups, Commodity classes and Commodities (Contract currency basis)
3. Import Price Index	
	All commodities, Groups, Subgroups, Commodity classes and Commodities (Yen basis)
Reference index	All commodities including fresh foods (Yen basis)
	Foodstuffs & feedstuffs including fresh foods (Yen basis)
	Fresh foods (Yen basis)
	Vegetables, Fruits and Fish & shellfish (Yen basis)
	Commodities in Fresh foods (Yen basis)
	All commodities, Groups, Subgroups, Commodity classes and Commodities (Contract currency basis)
Reference index	All commodities including fresh foods (Contract currency basis)
	Foodstuffs & feedstuffs including fresh foods (Contract currency basis)
	Fresh foods (Contract currency basis)
	Vegetables, Fruits and Fish & shellfish (Contract currency basis)
	Commodities in Fresh foods (Contract currency basis)
II. Reference index	
4. Index by Stage of Demand and Use	
	Domestic demand products
	Constituent classes of Domestic demand products
	Domestic goods and imports under Domestic demand products
	Domestic goods and imports under constituent classes of Domestic demand products
	Domestic demand products by Group
	Exports
	Constituent classes of Exports
Reference index	Producer goods of Domestic demand products
	Constituent classes of Producer goods of Domestic demand products
	Domestic goods and imports under Producer goods of Domestic demand products
	Domestic goods and imports under constituent classes of Producer goods of Domestic demand products
	Investment goods of Domestic demand products
	Producer goods of Exports
5. Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index using Chain-weighted Index Formula	
	All commodities, Major groups, Groups, Subgroups, Commodity classes and Commodities
6. Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index excluding Consumption Tax	
	All commodities, Major groups, Groups, Subgroups, Commodity classes and Commodities
7. Index for Domestic Demand Products excluding Consumption Tax	
	Domestic demand products
	Constituent classes of Domestic demand products
	Domestic goods and imports under Domestic demand products
	Domestic goods and imports under constituent classes of Domestic demand products
	Domestic demand products by Group
Reference index	Producer goods of Domestic demand products
	Constituent classes of Producer goods of Domestic demand products
	Domestic goods and imports under Producer goods of Domestic demand products
	Domestic goods and imports under constituent classes of Producer goods of Domestic demand products
	Investment goods of Domestic demand products
8. Average Index for Domestic corporate goods, Exports and Imports	
	All commodities, Major groups and Groups
	Domestic goods, exports and imports under Average Index for Domestic corporate goods, Exports and Imports
9. Prewar Base Index	
	Basic groupings
	All commodities and Groups
	Groupings by use

I. Basic grouping index	
1. Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index	
	All commodities, Major groups, Groups, Subgroups, Commodity classes and Commodities
Reference	Electric & electronic products
	All commodities, Group "Electric power, gas & water" and Subgroup "Electric power" (excluding extra charges for summer electricity)
2. Export Price Index	
	All commodities, Groups, Subgroups, Commodity classes and Commodities (Yen basis)
	All commodities, Groups, Subgroups, Commodity classes and Commodities (Contract currency basis)
3. Import Price Index	
	All commodities, Groups, Subgroups, Commodity classes and Commodities (Yen basis)
Abolished	
	All commodities, Groups, Subgroups, Commodity classes and Commodities (Contract currency basis)
Abolished	
II. Reference index	
4. Index by Stage of Demand and Use	
	Domestic demand products
	Domestic demand products, Classification by Stage of Demand and Classification by Use of Goods
	Domestic goods and Imports
	Major groups and Groups
Reference	IIP Classification by Use of Goods
	Domestic goods and Imports
	Domestic demand products and Intermediate materials (excluding extra charges for summer electricity)
	Domestic goods (excluding extra charges for summer electricity)
	Exports
	Exports, Classification by Use of Goods
Reference	IIP Classification by Use of Goods
5. Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index using Chain-weighted Index Formula	
	All commodities, Major groups, Groups, Subgroups, Commodity classes and Commodities
Reference	Electric & electronic products
	All commodities, Group "Electric power, gas & water" and Subgroup "Electric power" (excluding extra charges for summer electricity)
6. Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index excluding Consumption Tax	
	All commodities, Major groups, Groups, Subgroups, Commodity classes and Commodities
Reference	Electric & electronic products
	All commodities, Group "Electric power, gas & water" and Subgroup "Electric power" (excluding extra charges for summer electricity)
"4. Index by Stage of Demand and Use" is based on data excluding the consumption tax. Hence, 7 left will be combined with 4 above.	
Abolished	
7. Prewar Base Index	
	Basic groupings (All commodities and Groups)
	Classification by Use of Goods
8. Newspapers, magazines & books	
	Commodities (Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index)
	Commodities (Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index excluding Consumption Tax)

Note: Shaded areas denote changes from the 2000 base index.

Appendix 2: Classification of the 2005 Base Corporate Goods Price Index

(1) Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index

<2000 base>		<2005 base>	
Major group	Group	Major group	Group
Manufacturing industry products		Manufacturing industry products	
	Processed foodstuffs		Processed foodstuffs
	Textile products		Textile products
	Lumber & wood products		Lumber & wood products
	Pulp, paper & related products		Pulp, paper & related products
	Chemicals & related products		Chemicals & related products
	Plastic products		Plastic products
	Petroleum & coal products		Petroleum & coal products
	Ceramic, stone & clay products		Ceramic, stone & clay products
	Iron & steel		Iron & steel
	Nonferrous metals		Nonferrous metals
	Metal products		Metal products
	General machinery & equipment		General machinery & equipment
	Electrical machinery & equipment		Electrical machinery & equipment
	Transportation equipment		Information & communications equipment
	Precision instruments		Electronic components & devices
	Other manufacturing industry products		Transportation equipment
Agriculture, forestry & fishery products			Precision instruments
	Agriculture, forestry & fishery products		Other manufacturing industry products
Minerals		Agriculture, forestry & fishery products	
	Minerals		Agriculture, forestry & fishery products
Electric power, gas & water		Minerals	
	Electric power, gas & water		Minerals
Scrap & waste		Electric power, gas & water	
	Scrap & waste		Electric power, gas & water
		Scrap & waste	
			Scrap & waste

(2) Export Price Index

<2000 base>		<2005 base>	
Group		Group	
Textiles		Textiles	
Chemicals & related products		Chemicals & related products	
Metals & related products		Metals & related products	
General machinery & equipment		General machinery & equipment	
Electrical machinery & equipment		Electric & electronic products	
Transportation equipment		Transportation equipment	
Precision instruments		Precision instruments	
Other manufacturing industry products		Other primary products & manufactured goods	

Changes in name only.

(3) Import Price Index

<2000 base>		<2005 base>	
Group		Group	
Foodstuffs & feedstuffs		Foodstuffs & feedstuffs	
Textiles		Textiles	
Metals & related products		Metals & related products	
Wood, lumber & related products		Wood, lumber & related products	
Petroleum, coal & natural gas		Petroleum, coal & natural gas	
Chemicals & related products		Chemicals & related products	
Machinery & equipment		General machinery & equipment	
Other primary products & manufactured goods		Electric & electronic products	
		Transportation equipment	
		Precision instruments	
		Other primary products & manufactured goods	

Appendix 3: Weights

(1) Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index

Major group	1985 base	1990 base	1995 base	2000 base	2005 base		
					2000-1995	2005-2000	
Total (All commodities)	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	-	1,000.0	-
Manufacturing industry Products	893.8	919.1	914.9	919.4	+4.5	918.8	-0.6
Processed foodstuffs	102.1	97.5	110.9	117.4	+6.5	114.5	-2.9
Textile products	42.6	35.8	27.8	19.8	-8.0	13.1	-6.7
Lumber & wood products	18.3	17.1	16.4	12.7	-3.7	10.2	-2.5
Pulp, paper & related products	32.7	30.0	31.9	30.3	-1.6	28.5	-1.8
Chemicals & related products	78.9	73.7	77.9	78.3	+0.4	85.2	+6.9
Plastic products	36.0	38.3	36.8	38.4	+1.6	38.7	+0.3
Petroleum & coal products	59.1	30.3	28.4	36.6	+8.2	53.8	+17.2
Ceramic, stone & clay products	35.8	36.0	35.2	30.9	-4.3	25.9	-5.0
Iron & steel	59.8	54.8	43.3	36.8	-6.5	52.6	+15.8
Nonferrous metals	25.2	25.5	21.1	20.3	-0.8	22.5	+2.2
Metal products	40.4	46.5	45.8	39.6	-6.2	37.6	-2.0
General machinery & equipment	97.9	113.9	104.0	103.3	-0.7	108.4	+5.1
<Reference> Electric & electronic products	118.5	148.1	154.2	161.4	+7.2	129.0	-32.4
Electrical machinery & equipment	(58.7)	(64.8)	(62.8)	(57.7)	< -5.1 >	53.3	< -4.4 >
Information & communications equipment	(25.3)	(42.7)	(47.4)	(56.0)	< +8.6 >	41.4	< -14.6 >
Electronic components & devices	(34.5)	(40.6)	(44.0)	(47.7)	< +3.7 >	34.3	< -13.4 >
Transportation equipment	55.9	76.3	82.1	99.2	+17.1	124.8	+25.6
Precision instruments	11.5	12.1	11.4	11.3	-0.1	10.6	-0.7
Other manufacturing industry products	79.1	83.2	87.7	83.1	-4.6	63.4	-19.7
Agriculture, forestry & fishery products	40.0	30.9	29.8	25.5	-4.3	25.9	+0.4
Minerals	8.9	9.3	8.8	6.3	-2.5	3.9	-2.4
Electric power, gas & water	52.0	37.1	43.7	46.6	+2.9	46.5	-0.1
Scrap & waste	5.3	3.6	2.8	2.2	-0.6	4.9	+2.7

Note: "Electric & electronic products" is compiled by combining "Electrical machinery & equipment,"

"Information & communications equipment," "Electronic components & devices." This Group is equivalent to "Electrical machinery & equipment" in the 2000 base index. For simplicity, weights prior to the 2000 base index in parentheses are calculated by adding the Commodity weights included in the new Groups.

(2) Export Price Index

Group	1985 base	1990 base	1995 base	2000 base		2005 base	
					2000-1995		2005-2000
Total (All commodities)	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	-	1,000.0	-
Textiles	38.6	26.6	21.3	18.5	-2.8	14.7	-3.8
Chemicals & related products	54.3	64.3	76.8	76.8	0.0	87.2	+10.4
Metals & related products	117.0	73.9	73.0	64.5	-8.5	88.5	+24.0
General machinery & equipment	165.0	180.5	212.2	192.4	-19.8	195.4	+3.0
Electric & electronic products	246.7	312.5	354.8	358.5	+3.7	294.4	-64.1
Transportation equipment	267.3	241.5	178.0	203.6	+25.6	223.7	+20.1
Precision instruments	38.8	39.2	26.9	25.4	-1.5	18.5	-6.9
Other primary products & manufactured goods	72.3	61.5	57.0	60.3	+3.3	77.6	+17.3

(3) Import Price Index

Group	1985 base	1990 base	1995 base	2000 base		2005 base	
					2000-1995		2005-2000
Total (All commodities)	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0	-	1,000.0	-
Foodstuffs & feedstuffs	107.5	113.0	119.4	93.1	-26.3	82.3	-10.8
Textiles	49.6	70.6	87.5	74.1	-13.4	60.5	-13.6
Metals & related products	122.4	141.9	112.6	80.9	-31.7	94.8	+13.9
Wood, lumber & related products	39.4	52.4	51.7	32.3	-19.4	23.2	-9.1
Petroleum, coal & natural gas	482.7	279.0	178.2	221.0	+42.8	275.5	+54.5
Chemicals & related products	62.8	72.4	75.3	66.7	-8.6	69.0	+2.3
<2000base> Machinery & equipment	93.4	202.5	282.6	348.8	+66.2	317.7	-31.1
General machinery & equipment	28.7	45.8	43.4	46.9	+3.5	51.8	+4.9
Electric & electronic products	36.0	87.4	168.6	241.0	+72.4	205.4	-35.6
Transportation equipment	19.6	52.0	49.2	37.8	-11.4	38.6	+0.8
Precision instruments	9.1	17.3	21.4	23.1	+1.7	21.9	-1.2
Other primary products & manufactured goods	42.2	68.2	92.7	83.1	-9.6	77.0	-6.1

Reference : Crude oil prices

	CY1985	CY1990	CY1995	CY2000	1995/2000 % chg.	CY2005	2000/2005 % chg.
Import value of Crude oil (trillion yen)	8.30	4.47	2.82	4.82	+70.9%	8.82	+83.1%
Yen per Barrel	6,737	3,155	1,699	3,067	+80.5%	5,638	+83.8%

Appendix 4: Changes in the Number of Commodities

(1) Comparison in the number of Commodities between 2005 base and 2000 base

	2005 base	2000 base
Total	1,338 (-69)	1,407 (-20)
	1,344 (-81)	1,425 (-23)
Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index	857 (-53)	910 (-61)
	863 (-47)	
Export Price Index	213 (-9)	222 (+13)
Import Price Index	268 (-7)	275 (+28)
	268 (-25)	293 (+26)

Notes: 1. Figures in parentheses denote changes in the number of Commodities from the previous base index.
 2. Figures in the lower row of "Total," "Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index" and "Import Price Index" are the number of Commodities including in the Reference index.

(2) Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index

	2005 base	2000 base	Changes					
			Total	Newly selected	Abolished	Divided	Combined, etc.	Re-classified
Total	857	910	-53	+28	-30	+7	-52	-6
Including Reference index	863	"	-47	+28	-30	+7	-52	0
Manufacturing industry products	813	862	-49	+27	-26	+7	-51	-6
Processed foodstuffs	112	109	+3	+6	-2	0	-1	0
Textile products	43	47	-4	0	-2	0	-2	0
Lumber & wood products	17	18	-1	0	0	0	-1	0
Pulp, paper & related products	36	37	-1	0	-1	+1	-1	0
Chemicals & related products	126	145	-19	+3	-8	+1	-15	0
Plastic products	21	20	+1	+2	-1	0	0	0
Petroleum & coal products	12	12	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ceramic, stone & clay products	39	43	-4	0	0	0	-4	0
Iron & steel	42	50	-8	+1	-1	0	-8	0
Nonferrous metals	32	32	0	+1	-1	0	0	0
Metal products	40	43	-3	0	-1	0	-2	0
General machinery & equipment	81	84	-3	+3	-1	0	-5	0
<Reference> Electric & electronic products	110	108	+2	+7	-4	+2	-3	0
Electrical machinery & equipment	59	54	+5	+6	-1	0	0	0
Information & communications equipment	23	24	-1	+1	-2	0	0	0
Electronic components & devices	28	30	-2	0	-1	+2	-3	0
Transportation equipment	16	13	+3	+2	-1	+2	0	0
Precision instruments	25	27	-2	0	-1	0	-1	0
Other manufacturing industry products	61	74	-13	+2	-2	+1	-8	-6
Agriculture, forestry & fishery products	25	29	-4	+1	-4	0	-1	0
Minerals	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
Electric power, gas & water	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
Scrap & waste	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reference index (Newspapers, magazines & books)	6	0	+6	0	0	0	0	+6

Notes: 1. Figures in the column "Combined, etc." include the number of Expanded and Reduced Commodities.
 2. "Electric & electronic products" in (2) is compiled by combining "Electrical machinery & equipment," "Information & communications equipment," "Electronic components & devices." This Group is equivalent to "Electrical machinery & equipment" in the 2000 base index.

(3) Export Price Index

	2005 base	2000 base	Changes					
			Total	Newly selected	Abolished	Divided	Combined, etc.	Re-classified
Total	213	222	-9	+15	-18	+1	-7	0
Textiles	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chemicals & related products	44	53	-9	0	-8	0	-1	0
Metals & related products	28	27	+1	+2	-1	0	0	0
General machinery & equipment	39	40	-1	+2	-1	0	-2	0
Electric & electronic products	48	48	0	+3	-1	+1	-3	0
Transportation equipment	11	11	0	0	0	0	0	0
Precision instruments	10	12	-2	0	-2	0	0	0
Other primary products & manufactured goods	27	25	+2	+8	-5	0	-1	0

(4) Import Price Index

	2005 base	2000 base	Changes					
			Total	Newly selected	Abolished	Divided	Combined, etc.	Re-classified
Total	268	275	-7	+20	-20	+3	-10	0
Including Reference index	//	293	-25	+20	-38	+3	-10	0
Foodstuffs & feedstuffs	38	43	-5	0	-3	0	-3	+1
Textiles	35	34	+1	+1	-2	+2	0	0
Metals & related products	38	36	+2	+4	-2	0	0	0
Wood, lumber & related products	13	17	-4	0	-1	0	-3	0
Petroleum, coal & natural gas	10	10	0	+1	-1	0	0	0
Chemicals & related products	32	34	-2	+1	-3	+1	0	-1
<2000 base>Machinery & equipment	67	66	+1	+8	-6	0	-1	0
General machinery & equipment	13	13	0	+2	-2	0	0	0
Electric & electronic products	42	39	+3	+5	-1	0	-1	0
Transportation equipment	6	7	-1	0	-1	0	0	0
Precision instruments	6	7	-1	+1	-2	0	0	0
Other primary products & manufactured goods	35	35	0	+5	-2	0	-3	0
Reference index (Fresh foods)	0	18	-18	0	-18	0	0	0

Note: The Reference index (Fresh foods) is abolished from the 2005 base index.

Appendix 5: Newly selected and Abolished Commodities

(1) Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index

Group	Newly selected Commodity	Abolished Commodity
Processed foodstuffs	Semi-finished green tea(0.6) <i>Karashi-mentaiko</i> , salted cod roes spiced with red pepper(0.4) Ice confectioneries(0.4) Frozen prepared confectioneries(0.1) Supplements(0.3) Soy milk beverages(0.2)	Smoked seafood products<0.1> Chinese buns<0.2>
Textile products		Coats<0.1> Tire cord fabrics<0.1>
Pulp, paper & related products		Bleached kraft paper<0.1>
Chemicals & related products	Hypnotics & sedatives and antianxiotics(0.4) Radioactive medicines(0.1) Agents for otic & nasal use(0.1)	Soda ash<0.3> Liquid chlorine<0.2> Sulphuric acid<0.2> Alkyl benzene<0.2> Industrial fatty alcohols<0.1> Photographic film with lenses<0.2> Sensitized paper<0.2> Industrial explosives<0.1>
Plastic products	Plastic polarizing films(0.4) Medical & sanitary plastic products(0.4)	Plastic bathtubs<0.3>
Iron & steel	Ferro-manganese(0.6)	Ferrocromium<0.6>
Nonferrous metals	Unwrought lead(0.2)	Unwrought zincbase alloys<0.2>
Metal products		Coil springs<0.3>
General machinery & equipment	Dust collectors(0.6) Flat panel & display manufacturing equipment(1.7) Mold & die (7.0)	Household sewing machines<0.1>
Electrical machinery & equipment	Electric cooktops(0.4) Water heaters & hot water supply equipment(0.5) Air cleaners(0.1) Electric massagers(0.2) Electron microscopes(0.4) Wiring harnesses(5.3)	Tungsten halogen lamps<0.1>
Information & communications equipment	Fire alarm systems(0.1)	Portable computers<0.4> Optical scanning devices<0.6>
Electronic components & devices		Relays for electronic equipment<0.4>
Transportation equipment	Railroad cars(0.6) Railroad car parts(0.8)	Shovel trucks<0.1>
Precision instruments		Photographic cameras<0.4>
Other manufacturing industry products	Photoengravings(1.5) Photomasks(0.7)	Picture frames<0.1> Vacuum bottles<0.1>
Agriculture, forestry & fishery products	Polished rice(3.2)	Salted & dried sardines<0.2> Cooked & dried sardines<0.2> Mirinboshi sweet sakeseasoned & dried fish<0.1> Pine logs<0.1>

Notes: 1. Figures in parentheses denote the 2005 base weights.
2. Figures in angle brackets denote the 2000 base weights.

(2) Export Price Index

Group	Newly selected Commodity	Abolished Commodity
Chemicals & related products		Iron dioxides<1.0> Acrylic acids & acrylic esters<0.9> Polyacetals<0.3> Agents for ophthalmic use<0.7> Cardiovascular agents<0.4> Agents affecting digestive organs<0.6> Lubricating preparations<0.8> Polishes<0.3>
Metals & related products	Structural steel(1.5) Unwrought gold(5.4)	Unwrought titanium<2.4>
General machinery & equipment	Oil hydraulic & pneumatic valves(2.4) Flat panel & display manufacturing equipment(9.3)	Sawmill & woodworking machinery<2.6>
Electric & electronic products	Electromedical equipment(3.0) Video projectors(4.0) Electric welders(1.7)	Microphones<1.5>
Precision instruments		Photographic cameras<4.0> Laboratory analytical instruments<0.2>
Other primary products & manufactured goods	Wastepaper(0.8) Plastic laminates(1.1) Plastic polarizing films(7.2) Gas oil(3.6) Fuel oil C(2.5) Greases(1.4) Tires for special vehicles(1.5) Rubber hoses(1.0)	Paper-board<1.9> Ceramic tableware<3.7> Furniture<0.9> Publications<0.9> Pearl accessories<0.8>

(3) Import Price Index

Group	Newly selected Commodity	Abolished Commodity
Foodstuffs & feedstuffs		Leaf tobacco<2.1> Ice cream<0.5> Carbonated soft drinks<0.4>
Textiles	Women's or girls' underwear(1.1)	Wool tops<0.8> Raw silk<0.5>
Metals & related products	Unwrought rhodium(1.3) Unwrought indium (1.0) Electric wires & cables(1.3) Metal kitchenware & household utensils(3.5)	Unwrought zinc<0.4> Unwrought magnesium<0.3>
Wood, lumber & related products		South sea lumber<1.3>
Petroleum, coal & natural gas	Coal coke(1.4)	Fuel oil A<0.8>
Chemicals & related products	Psychotropic agents(2.2)	Soda ash<2.1> Agents affecting digestive organs<0.6> Industrial fatty alcohols<0.3>
General machinery & equipment	Tools for machines(1.8) Refrigerating machines(2.5)	Household sewing machines<1.2> Wrapping & packing machines<1.7>
Electric & electronic products	Electric bulbs & discharge lamps(1.4) Electric luminaries(2.4) Wiring harnesses(5.7) Storage batteries(1.8) Hybrid integrated circuits(1.7)	Optical scanning devices<1.2>
Transportation equipment		Aircraft<5.6>
Precision instruments	Lenses & exchange lenses for photographic cameras(0.6)	Laboratory analytical instruments<0.4> Photographic cameras<2.2>
Other primary products & manufactured goods	Paper & paperboard containers(1.1) Plastic daily necessities(1.3) Plastic footwear(6.0) Musical instruments (1.0) Stationery(1.1)	Publications<2.2> Wastepaper<0.2>

Notes: 1. Figures in parentheses denote the 2005 base weights.
2. Figures in angle brackets denote the 2000 base weights.

Appendix 6: Divided Commodities

	Group	Commodity of 2000 base	Commodity of 2005 base
D C G P I	Pulp, paper & related products	Disposable diapers<0.9>	Adult disposable diapers (0.4) Baby disposable diapers (0.6)
	Chemicals & related products	Household synthetic detergents<1.3>	Household synthetic detergents(1.2) Fabric softener(0.3)
	Electrical machinery & equipment	Magnetic & optical recording media<1.5>	Recording media(0.8)
	Electronic components & devices		Memory cards(0.8)
	Electronic components & devices	Optoelectronic devices<0.2>	Light emitting diodes(0.7) Opto electronic devices (except light emitting diodes)(0.2)
	Transportation equipment	Motor vehicle parts<46.1>	Drive, transmission & steering parts (29.5) Suspension & brake parts(8.4) Chassis & body parts(22.7)
	Other manufacturing industry products	Living room & dining room furniture<0.8>	Wood desks & tables(0.3) Wood chairs(0.8)
E P I	Electric & electronic products	Magnetic & optical recording media<7.5>	Recording media(6.8) Memory cards(5.2)
I P I	Textiles	Men's suits, trousers, etc.<7.2>	Men's or boys' suits, etc.(2.5) Men's or boys' trousers, etc.(3.1)
		Women's suits, skirts, etc.<9.8>	Women's or girls' suits, etc.(3.3) Women's or girls' skirts, etc.(6.2)
	Chemicals & related products	Rubber organic chemicals & carbon black<4.0>	Carbon black(3.8) Rubber organic chemicals(0.6)

Notes: 1. Figures in parentheses denote the 2005 base weights.
2. Figures in angle brackets denote the 2000 base weights.

Appendix 7: Combined Commodities

	Group	Commodity of 2000 base	Commodity of 2005 base	
D C G P I	Processed foodstuffs	Dry milk<1.0> Coffee whitener<0.1>	Dry milk(0.9)	
	Textile products	Spun polyester yarn<0.2> Spun acrylic yarn<0.1>	Spun synthetic yarn(0.2)	
		Shirts<0.2> Blouses<0.2>	Shirts & blouses (0.2)	
		Lumber & wood products	Softwood chips<0.2> Hardwood chips<0.2>	Wood chips(0.3)
		Pulp, paper & related products	Albums<0.2> Paper supplies for ceremonial occasions<0.1>	Daily use paper products(0.4)
	Chemicals & related products	Makeup foundation<0.8> Lipstick<0.3> Eye shadow<0.2> Mascara<0.2> Manicure preparations<0.1>	Makeup products(1.7)	
		Cleansing cream<0.2> Moisture cream<0.3> Skin lotion<0.5> Beauty essence<0.4> Milky lotion<0.3> Facial washing cream & foam<0.3> Beauty masks<0.1>	Skin care products(2.4)	
		Shampoos<0.7> Hair rinses<0.3> Hair tonics & conditioners<0.1> Hair spray<0.1> Hair dressings<0.3> Hair colourings<0.5>	Hair care products(2.0)	
		Ceramic, stone & clay products	Optical glass raw materials<0.3> Lighting & electronic glassware<0.5>	Glass processing materials(0.9)
			Liquor bottles<0.4> Soft drink bottles<0.3> Glass containers for foods & seasonings<0.2>	Glass containers(0.7)
			Artificial graphite electrodes<0.1> Graphite & carbon articles<0.5>	Carbon & graphite products(0.8)
			Iron & steel	Heavy steel shapes<0.2> Medium & light steel shapes<0.2>
		Ordinary wire rods<0.3> Special wire rods<0.2> Bars in coil<0.1>		Wire rods (0.7)
		Steel pipes & tubes for piping<0.3> Steel pipes & tubes for special piping<0.3> Steel pipes & tubes for structure<0.8> Steel pipe piles<0.2>		Ordinary steel pipes & tubes(1.7)
		Stainless steel (hot rolled)<1.4> Stainless steel sheets<1.4>		Stainless steel sheets(3.0)
	Iron wires<0.2> Galvanized steel wires<0.1>	Iron wires & galvanized steel wires(0.4)		
	Metal products	Warm air space heaters<0.3> Water boilers<0.2>		Heating equipment & radiators(0.5)
		Household cutlery<0.5> Pots & pans<0.1>		Metal kitchenware & household utensils(0.4)
	General machinery & equipment	Drills<0.1> Milling cutters<0.1> Taps & dies<0.2>		Special steel cutting tools(0.5)
		Overhead travelling cranes<0.2> Truck loading cranes<0.1>	Cranes(0.5)	
		Power tillers<0.3> Agricultural tractors<1.8>	Agricultural tractors & power tillers (1.7)	
		Wrapping machines<1.2> Packing machines<0.3>	Wrapping & packing machinery(1.4)	

Notes: 1. Figures in parentheses denote the 2005 base weights.
2. Figures in angle brackets denote the 2000 base weights.

	Group	Commodity of 2000 base	Commodity of 2005 base
D C G P I	Electronic components & devices	Antennas for television receivers<1.0> Television & video tuners<0.3>	High frequency assemblies(0.6)
		Cathode ray tubes<0.2> Indicator tubes<0.3> Liquid crystal devices<5.5>	Display devices(3.0)
	Precision instruments	Watches<0.5> Clocks<0.3>	Watches & clocks(0.7)
	Other manufacturing industry products	Wood bookshelves<0.3> Cupboards<1.1> Wood cabinets for audio equipment<0.1>	Wood cabinets & shelves(1.1)
		Pianos<0.4> Electronic pianos & organs<0.5>	Musical instruments (0.5)
		Electronic toys using integrated circuits<1.6> Plastic toys<0.4> Dolls<0.3> Children's vehicles<0.1>	Toys(1.4)
		Writing instruments<0.6> Seals, inkpads, etc.<0.1>	Stationery(0.7)
		Lacquered furniture<0.2> Lacquered kitchen utensils & tableware<0.1>	Lacquerware(0.2)
		Agriculture, forestry & fishery products	Silver & white fir logs<0.1> Larch logs<0.1>
	E P I	Chemicals & related products	Photographic film & with lenses<8.1> Photographic paper<1.1>
General machinery & equipment		Centrifugal pumps<2.2> Submersible pumps<1.4>	Pumps(5.0)
		Printing machinery<8.0> Bookbinding machinery<1.1>	Printing, plate making & bookbinding machinery(4.7)
Electric & electronic products		Power switches<1.4> Television & video tuners<0.7>	Assemblies(1.6)
		Cathode ray tubes<8.7> Indicator tubes<0.4> Liquid crystal devices<6.7>	Display devices(10.0)
Other primary products & manufactured goods	Printing paper (high grades)<0.8> Coated printing paper<1.8>	Printing paper(3.4)	
I P I	Foodstuffs & feedstuffs	Canned vegetables<2.4> Processed tomatoes<0.6>	Canned vegetables(1.0)
		Whisky<1.2> Brandy<0.9>	Whisky & brandy (1.0)
		Tea<0.8> Instant coffee<0.4>	Tea & coffee(1.1)
	Wood, lumber & related products	Silver fir logs<0.7> Larch logs<0.7>	Russian logs(1.2)
		Douglas fir lumber<2.8> Western hemlock lumber<2.4> Yellow cedar lumber<0.6>	North American lumber(3.2)
		Electric & electronic products	Electronic tubes<1.4> Liquid crystal devices<3.3>
	Other primary products & manufactured goods	Wood furniture<3.1> Living room furniture<3.6> Metal furniture<1.3>	Wood furniture(4.2) Metal furniture(1.7)
		Golf equipment<1.9> Ski equipment<0.8> Fishing tackles<0.8>	Sporting goods(3.5)

Notes: 1. Figures in parentheses denote the 2005 base weights.
2. Figures in angle brackets denote the 2000 base weights.

Appendix 8: Expanded, Reduced and Reclassified Commodities

(1) Expanded

	Group	Commodity of 2000 base	Commodity of 2005 base
D C G P I	Processed foodstuffs	Liqueurs, cocktails, etc.<0.2>	Other sparkling alcoholic beverages(1.8)
		Whisky<0.8>	Whisky & brandy (0.5)
	Ceramic, stone & clay products	Medicine bottles<0.3>	Scientific glass instruments (0.2)
		Household glassware<0.2>	Table & kitchen glassware (0.2)
	Iron & steel	Closed & open die forgings<1.9>	Forgings(2.8)
	Electronic components & devices	Charge coupled device<0.8>	Image sensors(1.5)
	Precision instruments	Exchange lenses for photographic cameras<0.2>	Lenses & exchange lenses for photographic cameras(0.8)
	Other manufacturing industry products	Sneakers<0.2>	Rubber footwear(0.1)
		Slide fasteners<0.2>	Fasteners, snaps & sewing needles(0.1)
Minerals	Cut stone<1.6>	Stone(0.3)	
Electric power, gas & water	High tension electric power B<4.1>	Industrial high tension power(9.5)	
E P I	Chemicals & related products	Makeup products & skin care products<1.0>	Makeup products, skin care products, etc.(1.5)
	Metals & related products	Stainless steel sheets<6.2>	Stainless steel sheets(7.5)
	General machinery & equipment	Packing machines<0.7>	Wrapping & packing machinery(0.9)
	Electric & electronic products	Radar apparatus & radio remote control apparatus<1.3>	Radar apparatus & radio remote control apparatus and radio navigational aid apparatus for cars(3.1)
	Precision instruments	Optical & spectrophotometric analyzers<1.8>	Analytical instruments(1.7)
		Binoculars<0.3>	Microscopes & binoculars(0.5)
	Other primary products & manufactured goods	Pianos<1.9>	Musical instruments (1.5)
		Writing instruments<2.2>	Stationery(1.4)
	Slide fasteners<0.9>	Fasteners, snaps & sewing needles(0.7)	
I P I	Metals & related products	Stainless steel sheets<0.6>	Stainless steel sheets(1.6)
		Builders hardware<3.5>	Metal fittings & related products(4.2)
	Wood, lumber & related products	Douglas fir logs<4.0>	North American logs(2.2)
		Lauan logs<1.5>	South Sea logs(0.7)

(2) Reduced

	Group	Commodity of 2000 base	Commodity of 2005 base
D C G P I	Electrical machinery & equipment	Distributors & ignition coils<1.5>	Ignition coils(0.4)
		Electric power, gas & water	Industrial electric power for small users<8.3>
E P I	General machinery & equipment	Internal combustion gasoline engines for marine vessels<2.7>	Outboard motors(4.3)
I P I	Electric & electronic products	Video cameras & digital cameras<2.3>	Digital cameras(5.8)
		Magnetic & optical recording media<2.8>	Recording media(0.7)

(3) Reclassified

	Group of 2005 base	Group of 2000 base	Commodity of 2005 base
I P I	Foodstuffs & feedstuffs	Chemicals & related products	Palm oil
D C G P I	Reference index	Other manufacturing industry products	Daily newspapers Non-daily newspapers Weekly magazines Monthly magazines General books Textbooks

Notes: 1. Figures in parentheses denote the 2005 base weights.
2. Figures in angle brackets denote the 2000 base weights.

Appendix 9: Transaction Value and Coverage

(1) Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index

Major group	Transaction value covered by the CGPI		Transaction value of Commodities selected for the CGPI		Coverage		Transaction value of Commodities excluded from the CGPI		Coverage	
	Group	(A)	2005-2000	(B)	2005-2000	(B)/(A)	2005-2000	(C)	(A)/(A+C)	2005-2000
Total (All commodities)	2,317,481	- 143,033	1,866,747	- 68,022	80.6	+2.0	131,417	94.6	- 0.5	
Manufacturing industry Products	2,129,245	- 132,850	1,684,022	- 58,382	79.1	+2.1	48,695	97.8	+0.5	
Processed foodstuffs	265,278	- 23,528	236,105	- 23,207	89.0	- 0.8	0	100.0	+1.0	
Textile products	30,404	- 18,244	23,328	- 14,146	76.7	- 0.3	0	100.0	0.0	
Lumber & wood products	23,728	- 7,402	18,394	- 5,558	77.5	+0.6	143	99.4	+0.1	
Pulp, paper & related products	66,143	- 8,318	55,567	- 7,068	84.0	- 0.1	0	100.0	0.0	
Chemicals & related products	197,356	+4,661	146,757	+7,682	74.4	+2.2	119	99.9	0.0	
Plastic products	89,579	- 4,803	56,978	- 5,969	63.6	- 3.1	0	100.0	0.0	
Petroleum & coal products	124,641	+34,592	119,910	+33,488	96.2	+0.2	0	100.0	0.0	
Ceramic, stone & clay products	60,008	- 16,026	49,822	- 11,316	83.0	+2.6	95	99.8	+0.2	
Iron & steel	121,946	+31,326	103,041	+24,593	84.5	- 2.1	0	100.0	+1.9	
Nonferrous metals	52,185	+2,223	42,926	+2,748	82.3	+1.9	- 14	100.0	0.0	
Metal products	87,154	- 10,353	42,637	- 6,720	48.9	- 1.7	25,261	77.5	+1.1	
General machinery & equipment	251,285	- 2,956	137,572	+14,837	54.7	+6.4	457	99.8	0.0	
Electrical machinery & equipment	123,460	-	90,639	-	73.4	-	0	100.0	0.0	
Information & communications equipment	95,967	-	80,760	-	84.2	-	0	100.0	0.0	
Electronic components & devices	79,553	-	63,768	-	80.2	-	0	100.0	0.0	
Transportation equipment	289,248	+45,113	267,482	+39,936	92.5	- 0.7	11,354	96.2	+1.9	
Precision instruments	24,478	- 3,352	18,097	- 1,792	73.9	+2.4	0	100.0	0.0	
Other manufacturing industry products	146,831	- 57,642	130,239	- 44,267	88.7	+3.4	11,280	92.9	- 1.1	
Agriculture, forestry & fishery products	60,142	- 2,576	55,230	- 3,436	91.8	- 1.7	82,722	42.1	- 8.1	
Minerals	8,986	- 6,516	8,388	- 5,110	93.3	+6.2	0	100.0	0.0	
Electric power, gas & water	107,846	- 6,946	107,846	- 6,946	100.0	0.0	0	100.0	0.0	
Scrap & waste	11,263	+5,854	11,260	+5,851	100.0	0.0	0	100.0	0.0	
<Reference> Electric & electronic products	298,979	- 98,141	235,168	- 61,621	78.7	+4.0	0	100.0	0.0	

Notes: 1. Figures in the columns "Transaction value covered by the CGPI," "Transaction value of Commodities selected for the CGPI" and "Transaction value of Commodities excluded from the CGPI" denote transaction values in one hundred million yen.

2. "Electric & electronic products" is compiled by combining "Electrical machinery & equipment," "Information & communications equipment," "Electronic components & devices." This Group is equivalent to "Electrical machinery & equipment" in the 2000 base index.

(2) Export Price Index

Group	Transaction value covered by the CGPI		Transaction value of Commodities selected for the CGPI		Coverage		Transaction value of Commodities excluded from the CGPI (C)	Coverage	
	(A)	2005-2000	(B)	2005-2000	(B)/(A)	2005-2000		(A)/(A+C)	2005-2000
Total (All commodities)	600,583	+120,437	407,690	+90,416	67.9	+1.8	50,942	92.2	-0.8
Textiles	8,849	- 13	4,525	- 93	51.1	-1.0	29	99.7	-0.3
Chemicals & related products	52,355	+15,460	27,904	+7,816	53.3	-1.1	0	100.0	0.0
Metals & related products	53,118	+22,132	32,087	+15,979	60.4	+8.4	292	99.5	+0.1
General machinery & equipment	117,357	+24,966	68,156	+19,374	58.1	+5.3	0	100.0	0.0
Electric & electronic products	176,826	+4,675	108,023	- 2,588	61.1	-3.2	0	100.0	0.0
Transportation equipment	134,328	+36,592	129,267	+35,304	96.2	+0.1	14,256	90.4	+1.0
Precision instruments	11,123	- 1,050	7,281	+35	65.5	+6.0	0	100.0	0.0
Other primary products & manufactured goods	46,627	+17,676	30,447	+14,589	65.3	+10.5	36,364	56.2	+2.0

(3) Import Price Index

Group	Transaction value covered by the CGPI		Transaction value of Commodities selected for the CGPI		Coverage		Transaction value of Commodities excluded from the CGPI (C)	Coverage	
	(A)	2005-2000	(B)	2005-2000	(B)/(A)	2005-2000		(A)/(A+C)	2005-2000
Total (All commodities)	532,942	+156,708	389,508	+114,808	73.1	+0.1	35,663	93.7	+1.8
Foodstuffs & feedstuffs	43,860	+8,845	27,334	+2,400	62.3	- 8.9	16,433	72.7	+6.2
Textiles	32,234	+4,363	26,723	+3,783	82.9	+0.6	33	99.9	-0.1
Metals & related products	50,509	+20,067	38,096	+15,656	75.4	+1.7	2,243	95.7	+1.8
Wood, lumber & related products	12,362	+192	9,363	+789	75.7	+5.2	237	98.1	-1.9
Petroleum, coal & natural gas	146,814	+63,673	143,388	+61,536	97.7	- 0.7	0	100.0	0.0
Chemicals & related products	36,801	+11,710	14,706	+2,258	40.0	- 9.6	0	100.0	+0.2
General machinery & equipment	27,626	+9,990	8,866	+2,928	32.1	- 1.6	0	100.0	0.0
Electric & electronic products	109,463	+18,795	69,289	+13,073	63.3	+1.3	0	100.0	0.0
Transportation equipment	20,566	+6,348	16,037	+2,317	78.0	- 18.5	404	98.1	+0.3
Precision instruments	11,662	+2,963	8,293	+1,930	71.1	- 2.0	0	100.0	0.0
Other primary products & manufactured goods	41,045	+9,762	27,414	+8,139	66.8	+5.2	16,313	71.6	+1.0

Note: Figures in the columns "Transaction value covered by the CGPI," "Transaction values of Commodities selected for the CGPI" and "Transaction values of Commodities excluded from the CGPI" denote transaction values in one hundred million yen.

Appendix 10: Number of Sample Prices

(1) Comparison in the number of sample prices between 2005 base and 2000 base

	Number of sample prices		Changes		2000 base	2000 base
	(As of July 2007) (A)	prices adopted from other statistics & databases	(A)–(B)	(A)–(C)	(As of June 2007) (B)	(As of October 2002) (C)
Total	8,141	41	+15	+35	8,126	8,106
	8,211	41	- 72	- 53	8,283	8,264
Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index	5,435	28	- 5	- 3	5,440	5,438
	5,505	28	- 5	- 3	5,510	5,508
Export Price Index	1,155	2	0	0	1,155	1,155
Import Price Index	1,551	11	+20	+38	1,531	1,513
	1,551	11	- 67	- 50	1,618	1,601

Note: Figures in the lower row of "Total," "Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index" and "Import Price Index" are the number of Commodities including in the Reference index.

(2) Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index

Group	Number of sample prices		Changes		2000 base	2000 base
	(As of July 2007) (A)	prices adopted from other statistics & databases	(A)–(B)	(A)–(C)	(As of June 2007) (B)	(As of October 2002) (C)
Processed foodstuffs	602	0	+25	+11	577	591
Textile products	381	0	- 15	- 19	396	400
Lumber & wood products	128	16	- 47	- 43	175	171
Pulp, paper & related products	199	0	- 2	+6	201	193
Chemicals & related products	568	0	- 29	- 34	597	602
Plastic products	130	0	+11	+12	119	118
Petroleum & coal products	65	0	- 3	- 1	68	66
Ceramic, stone & clay products	241	0	+3	+12	238	229
Iron & steel	340	0	+3	0	337	340
Nonferrous metals	152	0	- 1	- 1	153	153
Metal products	252	0	- 3	- 5	255	257
General machinery & equipment	497	0	+48	+56	449	441
Electrical machinery & equipment	398	0	+42	+36	745	751
Information & communications equipment	173	0				
Electronic components & devices	216	0				
Transportation equipment	156	0	+17	+21	139	135
Precision instruments	137	0	- 9	- 15	146	152
Other manufacturing industry products	478	0	- 49	- 43	527	521
Agriculture, forestry & fishery products	144	12	- 3	- 3	147	147
Minerals	29	0	0	+1	29	28
Electric power, gas & water	93	0	+7	+7	86	86
Scrap & waste	56	0	0	- 1	56	57
Reference index (Newspapers, magazines & books)	70	0	0	0	70	70

(3) Import Price Index

(As of July 2007)

Group	Number of sample prices	Number of unit values						
		Component ratio (%)	Type 1	Type 2	Type 3	Type 4	Others	
Foodstuffs & feedstuffs	211	3	1	0	1	0	2	0
Textiles	227	16	7	0	4	5	4	3
Metals & related products	137	2	1	0	2	0	0	0
Wood, lumber & related products	101	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Petroleum, coal & natural gas	54	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chemicals & related products	188	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
General machinery & equipment	78	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Electric & electronic products	277	17	6	7	5	5	0	0
Transportation equipment	58	8	14	0	0	8	0	0
Precision instruments	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other primary products & manufactured goods	185	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1,551	46	3	7	12	18	6	3

(4) Total

(As of July 2007)

Group	Number of sample prices	Number of unit values						
		Component ratio (%)	Type 1	Type 2	Type 3	Type 4	Others	
Total	8,141	964	12	183	525	71	114	71
Total (including Reference index)	8,211	964	12	183	525	71	114	71

- Notes: 1. Figures in column "Type 1" denote the number of unit values surveyed under the condition that both the commodity and the client are fixed.
2. Figures in column "Type 2" denote the number of unit values surveyed under the condition that only the commodity is fixed.
3. Figures in column "Type 3" denote the number of unit values surveyed under the condition that both the group of commodities and the client are fixed.
4. Figures in column "Type 4" denote the number of unit values surveyed under the condition that only the group of commodities is fixed.

Appendix 11: Number of Sample Prices by Unit Value Method

(1) Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index

(As of July 2007)

Group	Number of sample prices	Number of unit values						
		Component ratio (%)	Type 1	Type 2	Type 3	Type 4	Others	
Processed foodstuffs	602	319	53.0	128	185	5	1	0
Textile products	381	79	20.7	0	24	3	8	44
Lumber & wood products	128	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Pulp, paper & related products	199	43	21.6	3	28	0	12	0
Chemicals & related products	568	77	13.6	0	74	0	3	0
Plastic products	130	20	15.4	0	13	1	6	0
Petroleum & coal products	65	4	6.2	0	4	0	0	0
Ceramic, stone & clay products	241	16	6.6	0	11	0	5	0
Iron & steel	340	5	1.5	1	4	0	0	0
Nonferrous metals	152	1	0.7	0	1	0	0	0
Metal products	252	38	15.1	10	14	2	12	0
General machinery & equipment	497	80	16.1	0	14	18	31	17
Electrical machinery & equipment	398	42	10.6	12	28	0	2	0
Information & communications equipment	173	13	7.5	3	8	0	2	0
Electronic components & devices	216	23	10.6	1	14	0	8	0
Transportation equipment	156	16	10.3	3	0	10	3	0
Precision instruments	137	2	1.5	0	2	0	0	0
Other manufacturing industry products	478	23	4.8	4	7	0	12	0
Agriculture, forestry & fishery products	144	2	1.4	0	2	0	0	0
Minerals	29	2	6.9	0	1	0	1	0
Electric power, gas & water	93	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Scrap & waste	56	2	3.6	2	0	0	0	0
Total	5,435	807	14.8	167	434	39	106	61
Reference index (Newspapers, magazines & books)	70	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Total (including Reference index)	5,505	807	14.7	167	434	39	106	61

(2) Export Price Index

(As of July 2007)

Group	Number of sample prices	Number of unit values						
		Component ratio (%)	Type 1	Type 2	Type 3	Type 4	Others	
Textiles	30	4	13.3	0	2	1	0	1
Chemicals & related products	190	2	1.1	0	2	0	0	0
Metals & related products	130	3	2.3	0	3	0	0	0
General machinery & equipment	217	18	8.3	0	0	11	1	6
Electric & electronic products	316	13	4.1	0	13	0	0	0
Transportation equipment	88	2	2.3	0	0	2	0	0
Precision instruments	61	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Other primary products & manufactured goods	123	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1,155	42	3.6	0	20	14	1	7

(3) Import Price Index

(As of July 2007)

Group	Number of sample prices	Number of unit values						
		Component ratio (%)	Type 1	Type 2	Type 3	Type 4	Others	
Foodstuffs & feedstuffs	211	3	1.4	0	1	0	2	0
Textiles	227	16	7.0	0	4	5	4	3
Metals & related products	137	2	1.5	0	2	0	0	0
Wood, lumber & related products	101	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Petroleum, coal & natural gas	54	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Chemicals & related products	188	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
General machinery & equipment	78	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Electric & electronic products	277	16	5.8	6	5	5	0	0
Transportation equipment	58	8	13.8	0	0	8	0	0
Precision instruments	35	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Other primary products & manufactured goods	185	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1,551	45	2.9	6	12	18	6	3

(4) Total

(As of July 2007)

Group	Number of sample prices	Number of unit values						
		Component ratio (%)	Type 1	Type 2	Type 3	Type 4	Others	
Total	8,141	894	11.0	173	466	71	113	71
Total (including Reference index)	8,211	894	10.9	173	466	71	113	71

Notes: 1. Figures in column "Type 1" denote the number of unit values surveyed under the condition that both the commodity and the client are fixed.

2. Figures in column "Type 2" denote the number of unit values surveyed under the condition that only the commodity is fixed.

3. Figures in column "Type 3" denote the number of unit values surveyed under the condition that both the group of commodities and the client are fixed.

4. Figures in column "Type 4" denote the number of unit values surveyed under the condition that only the group of commodities is fixed.

Appendix 12: Surveyed Stages of Sample Prices

Share of Sample Prices in the Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index by Surveyed Stages(%)

Group	2005 base (As of July 2007)		2000 base (As of October 2002)		
	Producers	Wholesalers	Producers	Wholesalers	Others
Processed foodstuffs	70.2	29.8	68.4	31.6	0.0
Textile products	65.2	34.8	84.0	16.0	0.0
Lumber & wood products	50.6	49.4	92.6	7.4	0.0
Pulp, paper & related products	71.7	28.3	70.6	29.4	0.0
Chemicals & related products	53.0	47.0	52.3	47.7	0.0
Plastic products	100.0	0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0
Petroleum & coal products	99.6	0.4	100.0	0.0	0.0
Ceramic, stone & clay products	91.5	8.5	68.4	24.2	7.4
Iron & steel	74.4	25.6	78.3	21.7	0.0
Nonferrous metals	82.5	17.5	84.6	15.4	0.0
Metal products	92.0	8.0	90.9	9.1	0.0
General machinery & equipment	89.4	10.6	95.2	4.6	0.2
Electrical machinery & equipment	91.7	8.3	93.8	6.2	0.0
Information & communications equipment	87.3	12.7			
Electronic components & devices	89.1	10.9			
Transportation equipment	95.8	4.2	100.0	0.0	0.0
Precision instruments	88.1	11.9	90.3	9.7	0.0
Other manufacturing industry products	95.3	4.7	93.1	6.9	0.0
Agriculture, forestry & fishery products	76.4	23.6	50.0	42.6	7.4
Minerals	100.0	0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0
Electric power, gas & water	100.0	0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0
Scrap & waste	0.0	100.0	0.0	100.0	0.0
Total	83.9	16.1	85.1	14.4	0.5

Notes: 1. This table shows the share of sample prices on a weight basis. The columns are classified by the level of distribution.

2. "Producers" are firms which produce goods. In the 2000 base index, it also includes firms (so-called OEM consignment companies) which only use their trademarks on products already made by other producers.

In the 2005 base index, these firms are classified as "Wholesalers"; the ratio of these firms is 1.6% to the total.

3. "Wholesalers" are those who purchase goods directly from producers.

4. Figures in column "Producers" denote the share of sample prices surveyed at the stage of shipment from producers.

It also includes purchasing prices of wholesalers, retailers or users who purchase directly from producers.

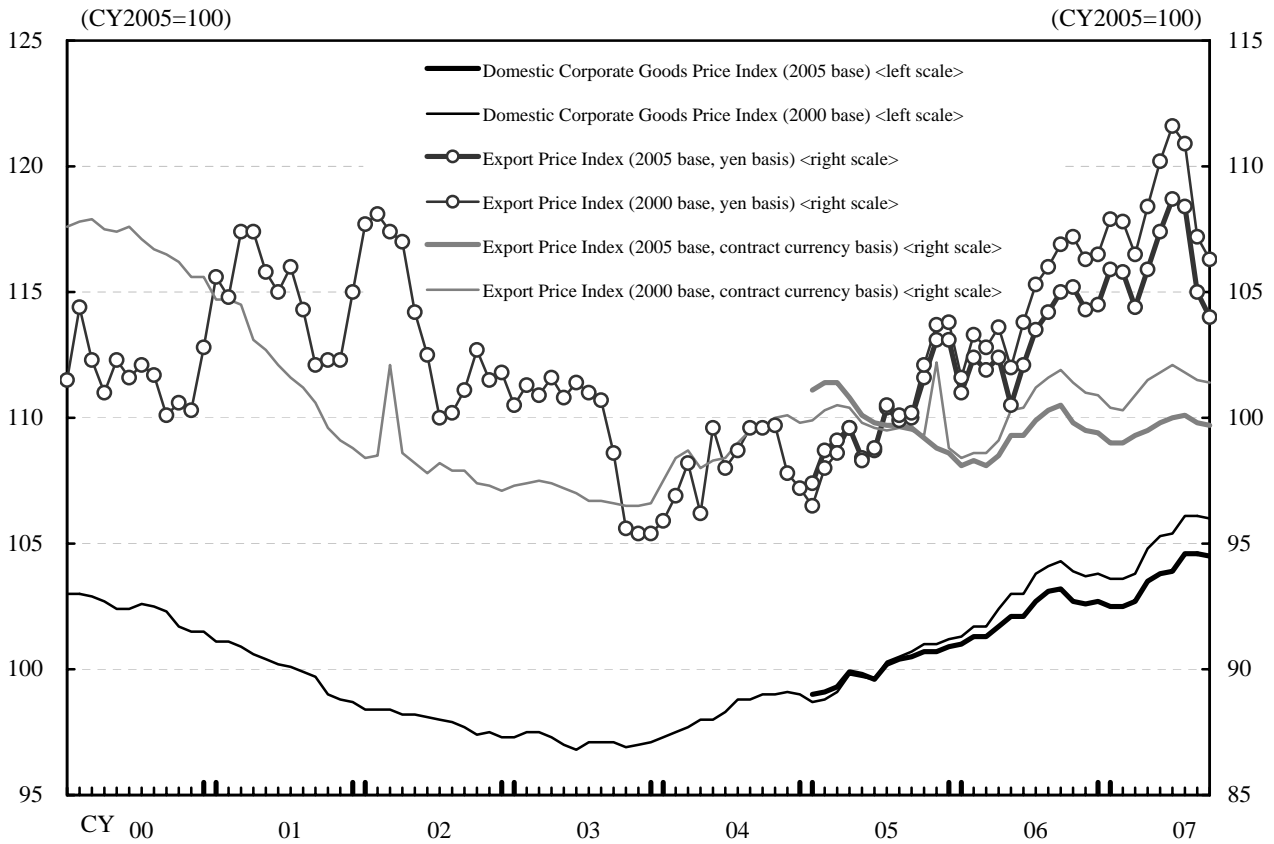
Figures in column "Wholesalers" denote the share of sample prices surveyed at the stage of shipment from wholesalers.

It also includes purchasing prices of secondary or following wholesalers, retailers or users.

5. Column "Others" in the 2000 base index denoted the share of sample prices surveyed of organizations other than producers or primary wholesalers, such as industry groups. In the 2005 base index, these sample prices are categorized into either the shipment stage from producers or the selling stage of wholesalers taking the characteristics of these prices into consideration.

Appendix 13: Corporate Goods Price Index

(1) Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index, Export Price Index



(2) Import Price Index

